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HUSTONVILLE.

—The last week has been one of unusual activity in social circles, parties or receptions occurring almost every night. On Thursday night there were three parties and as a consequence the Young Men's Christian Band couldn't get a quorum for a meeting.

—Squire Smiley, of Moreland, bought three horses in Lexington a few days since and employed a Negro man to bring them home for him. The darkey reached the first toll-gate beyond Danville on the Lexington pike a little while after dark and lacking 6c of enough to pay his toll, the woman of the gate refused to let him through. He then went back and attempted to pass around the gate in the darkness when he was set upon by two men who beat him nearly to death. When the Negro arrived at Moreland his horse was covered with blood which had flowed from his wounds.

—Mr. Cowan, of Middleburg, is visiting relatives in the community. Misses Myrtle Phillip, Lizzie and Mattie Thompson, of Lancaster, are visiting at the home of E. S. Powell. G. M. Givens was in Perryville last Friday. Emmett McCormack returned from Cincinnati last Thursday, where he had accompanied a shipment of lambs. He reports that he did very well. Squire Peyton is in town after a visit to his sister in Louisville. T. H. Huns, who has been in our community trading, has been sick for several days. Mrs. Elizabeth Twidwell Forgy, of Elkton, is expected on a visit to relatives and friends on the 20th. J. L. Brady, of Perryville, is in our community soliciting orders for a fine family Bible.

—On Wednesday afternoon Morse's mill on Brush Creek was the scene of an exchange of pleasantries for which that section is famous. A number of men met there and engaged in a regular Kentucky frolic. When the smoke of battle had rolled away it was discovered that Tib Pitman had shot John Pitman, the ball striking him in the leg below the left knee, shattering both bones. Tib also shot his sister, Sam Lane's wife, through the left arm above the elbow, breaking the bone. At this juncture of the proceedings, John Pitman, Jr., turned the tables on Tib, stabbing him twice with a dirk knife, one cut penetrating the liver, the other entering the left lung. Dr. P. Humphrey was called in that night and patched up the remains of the contestants, and says that they are all likely to live to fight again some other day.

CHURCH CHIMES.

—Rev. A. V. Sizemore has under consideration a flattering call from the Paducah Baptist church at Paducah.

—Rev. J. T. Sharrard will hold a meeting at the Crab Orchard Christian church next week, beginning Monday night.

—Sunday next will be children's day at Walnut Flat. An interesting program will be rendered beginning at 10 A. M.

—There are five Baptist preachers on the Breathitt grand jury and they are making the way of transgressors hard.

—The Central Holiness camp meeting will be held at Wilmore, Jessamine county, July 14 to 23. The Q. & C. will give low rates.

—The Baptist congregation here elected Revs. Wm. Shelton and A. V. Sizemore delegates to the State association, which meets at Bowling Green this week.

—Rev. A. D. Matthews, of Marion, O., who was born in 1824 and who has been a Methodist preacher for 50 years, has married over 1,600 people and preached nearly 1,000 funerals.

—Rev. Henry Mills will preach at the Methodist church here next Sunday at 11 A. M. and Rev. Andrew Johnson at night. Rev. W. S. Grinstead, the pastor will preach at McKendree that day.

—This is the way the Cincinnati Post headlines notice of Rev. L. M. Lasley's prospective visit to Landon: "By a Nose You Will Miss Heaven if You Don't Repent; Book'll be Closed Before Your Bet is In." Sermon to be preached to Cincinnati turkmen.

—The Bowling Green Sunday Journal says Rev. George O. Barnes is in splendid trim and has lost none of his vigor nor power in pleasing his audiences, which are constantly growing. The song service by Miss Marie and the little organ is enjoyed by all and sweeter or more pathetic music was never heard.

—Rev. L. M. Lasley seems to be doing much good. The Somerset Reporter says of his meeting at Greenwood, which resulted in nearly 100 conversions: "Some of those converted were the most hardened and desperate men of the community, but now they are leading in prayer and trying to induce their unconverted companions to reform. As a result of Mr. Lasley's preaching a church was organized at Greenwood with a membership of 40, the first church ever organized at that place or in that community. A citizen of that community told us that he never saw such a change in the place, old hardened sinners, who used to go around filled with bad whiskey and armed to the teeth seeking to get into trouble with their fellow men, now go home sober and hold prayer service with their families every night." Mrs. Judge Morrow and other Somerset ladies assisted in the meeting.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—Mrs. Margaret Marrs fell Saturday and received some painful injuries.

—Rev. W. P. Nelson preached the union sermon Sunday night at the Christian church.

—Miss Sallie Elkin entertained at her country home, "Maples," in honor of a few friends Friday evening.

—Eleven colored teachers stood examination Friday. Another one for the white teachers will be held this week.

—Mr. Wm. Fowler had a valuable horse killed by being caught in the cattle guard and was run over by a passing train.

—Misses Katherine and Lillian Kinnaid entertained Saturday evening in honor of the members of the Walking Club.

—Andrew Bogie sold some fat cattle to James McCotton, of Cincinnati, at 24. A. B. Estridge sold 75 hogs to J. L. Estridge at 24c.

—Lancaster has a new project ahead. It is this, that we want our city more brilliantly illuminated by those scintillating rays, electric lights.

—Miss Margaret Mason was "at home" Friday evening in honor of her two charming guests, Misses Nina Atkinson and Lina Letcher, of Henderson.

—Rev. Lucien D. Noel preached a good discourse Sunday to a crowded house at the Presbyterian church on "What is Man that Thou art Mindful of Him?"

—The Presbyterian Mite Society will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. M. A. Weisenger and Bible Reading Circle Friday afternoon with Mrs. B. F. Walter.

—The examiners report that 10 teachers were examined; one received a first-class certificate and that was to Mrs. Mary L. Anderson. There were seven 2d class certificates and two 3d class.

—A Methodist Sunday-school picnic was held Friday near Hubble. A wagon load of happy, joyous children passed through town that day, bent on a day's delightful stay in the country.

—The Leap Year Club at Paint Lick will meet with Miss Fannie Doty Friday evening. It seems that the upper portion of Garrard county is far in advance of Lancaster in having a Leap Year Club.

—A house party will be given this week by Miss Christine Bradley to her friends, at the Capital. Miss Elizabeth Bush will be one of Miss Bradley's guests and Miss Elizabeth Robinson was to have been there also, but the illness of a relative prevents her going.

—Mrs. J. G. Sweeney, whose extreme illness has been noted, is weakening daily and her demise is expected at any time. Mr. W. P. Walden was reported dying Saturday night, but at this writing is a little better. Judge Patterson continues a very sick man. Mr. James Faris is reported in declining health.

—Misses Theodocia and Mary Leavel, of Richmond, are guests of Misses Jennie and Lucy Arnold. Miss Grace Tudor, of Crab Orchard, is visiting friends here. Dr. J. B. Kinnaid has returned from the Medical Association. Mrs. Mary Hardesty, of Nashville, is visiting Mrs. James Burnside. Mrs. Hunley Singleton and little daughter, Bessie and Mary, are with relatives in Madison. Mrs. F. D. Rigney, of Casey, is with W. O. Rigney and family. Miss Mary Burnside is in Lexington visiting Miss Eugenia Dunlap. Prof. G. C. Gorrell, of Culpepper, Va., was here last week. Miss Gertrude Lingenfelter has returned from Georgetown College. Miss Patsy Beezley is in Nicholasville. Mr. M. R. Wilkerson, of Liberty, was called here by the illness of his sister, Mrs. J. G. Sweeney. Miss Amanda Anderson is visiting Rockcastle. Mrs. Lula Bettis and daughter, Miss Altie, of Nicholasville, are guests of friends here. Miss Margaret Murphy has returned from Louisville. Miss Lillie Dale, of Shelbyville, is visiting Miss Octavia Kemper. Mrs. Richard Ward and children are visiting in London. Miss Miriam Herring, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Pattie Herring.

—The Sinking Fund Commissioners have accepted the bid of the Southern and C. H. & D. for the Cincinnati Southern and it will be submitted to a vote of the people of Cincinnati. In substance the bidders agree to continue to pay the present rental until 1902. After that date to pay the city 10 per cent. on the gross earnings of the road in excess of \$4,500,000 per year until 1906, when they may purchase the road for \$19,000,000. The bidders also agree to make betterments to the value of \$250,000 per year for eight years, and to give cash security for the faithful performance of the contract. They are to pay 4 per cent. interest also on purchase price semi-annually in gold coin.

—The fatal animal disease, charbon, is creating fearful havoc in Louisiana, near the Mississippi border line. The loss is now over 150 mules. On Newelton ridge over 75 per cent of all the stock is affected. The plague is sparing nothing. In Richland parish it is said that even the deer in the woods are dying off, and two negroes have died of it.

—Nellie Adams was killed in Louisville by an explosion of gasoline.

SOMEWHAT LOCAL.

—Ex-Senator F. D. Rigney is very low at his home in Casey county.

—Eggs in Western Kentucky are selling at 3c per dozen. They bring only 5c here.

—Hon. W. B. Smith, of Richmond, received a letter from a client whose case he had lost, threatening him with death unless he paid him \$50. It is signed Richard Brooks, Dexter, Mo.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Russell were hurled over a cliff 65 feet high into Rolling Fork, near Danville Saturday by a runaway horse. Strange to say, both they and the horse escaped serious injury.

—At Halfway House, near Middlesboro, John S. Turner shot and killed his cousin, Green Turner. The latter lived in Garrard county for several years and was known by a number of Stanford people.

—Engineer Lewis was fatally and Fireman Wilson badly hurt in a freight wreck on the Cincinnati Southern railroad near Sadieville. Eight horses which were on the track were killed and 15 cars and the engine wrecked.

—Clifton Black was fatally stabbed in Mercer county Saturday by his brother Keller. The latter has disappeared, and is thought to have committed suicide, as he is known to have made one attempt to end his life since the commission of his crime.

—An annex to cost \$18,000 will be built by Central University at Middlesboro. It is proposed to have it ready for the reception of pupils by the middle of September. Prof. Graft, of Bowdoin College, will have charge of the new school.

—In the closing hours of Congress Gov. McCreary secured a pension for Mrs. Keturah Wilson, widow of James Wilson, who served in the Mexican war with distinction, and also in the Confederate army. Mr. Wilson was in Mr. McCreary's command during the late war.

—Mrs. Elma Dunn, wife of John Dunn, a wealthy citizen, died at Bryantsville. She was 54 years old and a sister of ex-Sheriff Robert Salter, Danville, and Sam Salter, the well-known horse-man of Atlanta. Three children survive, Mrs. Eugene Berkeley, Misses Allie and Lucy Dunn.

—Josef Joseph & Bro., of Cincinnati, have bought the Cincinnati and Green River railroad, together with the locomotives, cars, depots, etc., and will tear up the rails, etc., and ship them to Cincinnati the 20th of July, unless a company being worked up buys the line and continues it in service.

—The grand-father of John Turner, who killed his cousin in Bell county, Saturday, Jack Turner, led the Turner faction in the famous Partin-Turner feud. He killed 10 men. In the graveyard near Middlesboro lie 20 Turners who have died with their boots on. Two other brothers of the one killed are fugitives each having killed two men, but the race is nearly extinct. Bill and Lee Turner, brothers of the murdered man, threaten to raise a mob.

—The Liberty Fair Association, says the Tribune, organized by electing Geo. W. Frye, president; John W. Whipp, vice president; Lilburn Phelps, secretary; George A. Prewitt, treasurer, and D. S. Carpenter, J. D. Owens, R. S. Rector, C. L. Bowman, T. J. Bell, V. R. Coleman, D. G. Portman, F. P. Combest, J. W. Brown, George Gabehart, Ed Wilkinson, C. L. Herren, G. M. Brown and W. D. Stagg, directors.

—Samuel Jeffries, aged 80, died at his home in Casey county, leaving a widow helplessly paralyzed, eight grown children and 87 grand children. During the first 61 years of his marriage no children were born to him, but during the succeeding 15 years he became the father of 19 children. Eleven were girls. Seven sets of twins arrived consecutively. Two of the girls married and each of them became twice the mother of twins.

—Low Rates to Richmond, Va.—The Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. will sell round trip tickets to Richmond Va., on June 25th to 30th, inclusive, at the extremely low rate of one cent per mile (\$11.20 round trip from Lexington) for the Annual Reunion of Confederate Veterans. The same low rate will apply from all stations in Central Kentucky.

The citizens of Richmond, Va., are sparing no expense or labor to make the reception of the Veterans a most cordial one.

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Drop a line for any information to Geo. W. Barney, Division Pass. Agent, Lexington, Ky.

—Lorenzo Dow McKinney, aged 80, who says he has done about all the good and bad he can in this life, has issued invitations to his own funeral sermon, to occur next Sunday at his church near Portsmouth, O.

PAINT LICK, GARRARD COUNTY.

Norman Argo, the Negro midget of Paint Lick, has the reputation of being the "hottest" republican in Garrard. The little old man was 94 his last birthday, is less than four feet tall and weighs only 53 pounds, but he is a worker in elections and the man who gets the promise of his vote can expect his undivided support. He is rather an influential Negro too and a certain class can be counted on to mark their ballots just as Norman does. When Gen. Kenney had a stable of runners he bought Norman to ride for him, but his little legs were so short, he couldn't stay in his saddle and fell off in more than one race. He quit riding and has spent the last 20 years in the employ of Mrs. Margaret Argo, doing her housework and milking. Norman has had numerous offers to travel with circuses, but he is sensitive as to his size and couldn't bear the thought of being put up for exhibition.

There is a 14 year old boy here with a creditable moustache. Several years ago the fur began to come out on his upper lip and he has never shaved it off. It is rather an unusual sight to see a knep-pants urchin tumbling his moustache.

Mr. W. Steve Walker, who is in the revenue business now, has the finest pack of fox hounds in the country. His business has prevented his hunting much lately, but he is off for a few days now and the foxes in Upper Garrard will suffer. The pet of his dogs is "Strive," the meanest looking hound imaginable. He is a blue-tie winner though and took premiums at Boston, St. Louis and other points. "What do you value him at?" your correspondent asked. "Money couldn't buy him," said he, "he's too good to dispose of."

The republicans in this neck of the woods were for Capt. Speed Smith for Congress and are hot in the collar because Gov. Bradley took a hand in the fight for Davison. "We are for Davison now," remarked a prominent republican, rather reluctantly, "but we'll remember Gov. Bradley."

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—A Pike county sloping couple rode horse back 125 miles to be married.

—A Chillicothe, O., lover killed his sweetheart and then himself. The green eyed monster caused the double murder.

—At Wabash, Ind., M. L. Williams and Nellie Williams were married for the third time. They have been divorced twice.

—Mr. R. C. H. Covington, of Richmond, and Miss Mary Morrow, a teacher in the high school there, were married last week. She is an Oxenford girl.

—June may be a month of marriages, but lovers hereabout do not embrace it. County Clerk J. F. Cummins hasn't issued a license since the 27th of May.

—Judge Cantrill knocked out Mrs. Allie Davis' petition for divorce against her husband, Dr. W. G. Davis, who is serving a life sentence for the murder of his father-in-law, Lowry Munday, in Woodford in 1883, for his insurance. The judge holds that it is too late now for her to get a divorce on account of her husband's conviction for a felony and the plea that they have lived separate and apart for five years doesn't hold good, because it is enforced on his part. It is said that Mrs. Davis was to marry Col. Phil Thompson, of Harrodsburg, who defended her husband, had the divorce been granted.

—The Birmingham Herald in telling of the marriage of Prof. C. H. Holmes, of Stanford, to Miss Olivia Wirt Summers, principal of Pollock-Stephens Institute, says: "The bride wore an elegant white brocaded satin and carried white roses. It was a solemn, beautiful marriage, the uniting of true and loyal hearts and the blending of two lives whose paths lay in the same direction. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes will receive the congratulations and good wishes of friends all over the South, and especially of those in Birmingham, who feel a profound interest in their welfare and their future success. During Mrs. Holmes' brief sojourn in our city she has surrounded herself with many friends, who have been charmed by her personality and her intellectual force." The papers also describe the commencement exercises of the Institute in glowing terms. They were decidedly original and instead of the usual essays, a drama, written by Miss Summers, entitled "The True Woman" was given. Taking the character studies which the young ladies had made from the world's most famous women, Miss Summers wove these thoughts into practical form of rare beauty and sweetness, and from them called the True Woman. The drama was closed with the beautiful pantomime, Rock of Ages, accompanied by the song, sung very sweetly by Mr. F. L. Willis. Beautiful posing and draping then concluded part first."

—Since the Knights of Honor organized, 21 years ago, 964 of its members have committed suicide entailing payments of \$1,700,000.

—Capt. Thomas P. Leathers, the veteran steam boatman and philanthropist, is dead at New Orleans as the result of a bicycle accident.

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W. P. WALTON.

The republican hosts from Cape Cod to Kalamaazoo and from hell to breakfast have captured St. Louis lock, stock and barrel and now hold it unconditionally. All the preliminaries of the big convention are arranged and after the chairman of the National committee has got in his work to-day, C. W. Fairbanks, of Indiana, will be elected temporary chairman. He will have the appointment of the committees and after they report and the convention is permanently organized Gov. William McKinley will be nominated on the first ballot, if indeed such a formality is not dispensed with and the nomination made by acclamation. Since he has made his calling sure, the nomination of a candidate for vice president is now creating the most interest. A baker's dozen are "mentioned," but if the party is as smart as it usually is, it will nominate Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, the greatest man in the republican ranks since James G. Blaine was called from labor. To be sure the thing will be heavier at the tail than at the head, but it will make the ticket an unusually strong one and we fear a winning one if the gold standard is declared for and the democrats do as Grant said, "Always wrong at the right time." But we haven't given up hope yet. The assembled wisdom of the democratic party at Chicago may devise a platform and find a Moses to lead us out of the wilderness and to that end let us all unite in prayer.

The London Echo seems very much disturbed, because we said that we do not intend to be driven out of the democratic party by free silver or other cranks or for that matter by any other thing. That is to say from the real and true principles and objects of the party founded by Jefferson and which for more than half a century made this the most prosperous country on the globe. We may and do differ as to the policy of the party from those who now seem to be in the ascendancy, but it will survive all such innovations and experiments and continue to demonstrate its manifest destiny, by giving the greatest good to the greatest number and affording equal rights to all, exclusive privileges to none. No, Bro. Dyche, bad as you may imagine it and wrong as it may sometimes get, the democratic party is infinitely preferable to the republican or any other party, and sink or swim, live or die, we are not going to desert it.

AFTER being knocked down, dragged out and spit upon by the Davison crowd at Nicholasville, J. Speed Smith came up smiling and making a virtue of a necessity withdrew from the race he was already out of, and moved to make Davison's nomination unanimous. This servility is likely more for show than for observance. He and his followers are as mad as hades and unless they cool off before election, which they will likely do as republicans vote like sheep follow the bell wether—without question and without complaint, they may do some stabbing in the recesses of the voting booths. That Smith was treated like a dog is certain. It remains to be seen whether he and his followers will accept his treatment like spaniels.

SINCE Gov. Bradley ran for Congress in this district the republicans have not put up men of much calibre. The "Little Red Hog" Ewell, Thomas Toddy, Dr. Roberts and the others who went down in defeat have nothing to brag of over Davison, who more than averages up with them in capacity and deserts. We take it, however, that the republicans do not expect to elect their nominee in this district, else Davison would not have been given a practically clear field. The other bigger guns would have contested, if they thought there was chance of election.

Gov. BRADLEY withdrew from the race for the presidential nomination, which he was not in, Sunday, and requested Hon. John W. Yerkes to leave that nominating speech unspoken. The governor has gone to St. Louis to work for a sound money platform, only that and nothing more. He says he would not accept a nomination for vice-president and wants no other office than the one he has.

The court of appeals has turned down Mayor Todd most beautifully and put the board of public works and safety of Louisville on top. It decides that he can not remove those officers. Editor Dan E. O'Sullivan and the public generally are beneficiaries under the decision and both are to be congratulated.

It looks like W. M. Beckner will win the democratic nomination for Congress in the 10th. He has 33 votes instructed for him, with only 35 necessary to nominate and two counties not heard from. Fitzpatrick has 14 instructed votes, Thomas Turner eight and Lykens nine.

MAYOR SIMPSON, of Lexington, is wiser than he was, if not so pretty. He assaulted City Editor Helm, of the Leader, because of something he put in the paper and got badly disgraced. It would do to monkey with us editors unless you are spooling to get hurt.

With 633 votes of the 918 for McKinley, what's the use of any other fellow getting in the way of the juggernaut?

JOHN SAM OWSELEY, JR., is greatly encouraged in his race for Congress and he now feels very sure that he will secure the nomination. With Force out of the race, he could beat Thompson easy enough and it looks now like he could win over both.

POLITICAL POINTS.

—McKinley and Reed will be the ticket.

—Ohio will go three to one for free silver.

—Congressman Josiah Patterson has announced that he will be a candidate to succeed himself in the Tenth Tennessee district.

—At a large mass meeting of colored delegates in St. Louis, it was decided practically to withdraw from the McKinley column and support Reed.

—The friends of John Sam Owsley are confident of carrying the county, and we hear a great deal of favorable talk of the Lincoln man.—Lancaster Record.

—Hon. James H. Harrod has withdrawn from the race for governor of Arkansas. This will give Col. Dan W. Jones a walkover for the democratic nomination.

—Under the rules adopted by the State convention, Jack Chinn is now the supreme boss of the political machinery of the Eighth district—and may the good Lord help us.—Shelby Sentinel.

—Berea Blair Bill Beckner thinks he might be useful in Congress. There are others, Billy. But, as a rule, the public thinks their usefulness more pronounced at home.—Covington Commonwealth.

—The Minnesota democrats adopted a gold platform and defeated the efforts to turn down National Committeeman Michael Doran. The silver men were defeated by a vote of 223 to 436 in the adoption of a platform.

—Garrett A. Hobart, of New Jersey, who is a business man and who has been a member of the republican National committee for 12 years, is likely to get the nomination for vice president at St. Louis, if Mr. Reed will not accept.

—The Columbia Spectator says: "The free silver papers are singing a different tune from the one they sang last year. They now say let's all get on the platform together. Last year they said 'd-n the platform anyway.'" Just so.

—Ex-Senator Higgins and Would-Be-Senator Addicks showed each other up in such hideous light that the National republican committee declined by a vote of 41 to 9 to seat either of the Delaware delegations of which those odorous statesmen are the respective heads.

—There is no longer any doubt that Senators Teller and Dabois and Representative Hartman propose to bolt the St. Louis convention if the platform declares for a gold standard. They have formulated a plan to marshal all the strength they can get in the committee on resolutions, and failing there go out. —The Virginia democratic convention gave Cleveland this kind of a slap: "It is the unwritten law of this republic, established by the custom and usage of 100 years and sanctioned by the example of the greatest and wisest of those who have founded and maintained our government, that no man should be eligible for a third term of the presidential office."

—Chairman W. F. Harry, with his sub-committee in charge of the National democratic convention, has opened headquarters at the Palmer House, Chicago. In an interview Mr. Harry expressed the belief that "the moderate silver men will join hands with the honest money men and save the party from going on the rocks."

—Col. Ion B. Nall editor of the Farmers Home Journal, is being urged by his friends to announce himself a candidate for Congress in the Louisville district on a free silver platform.—Ex. We do not suppose the handsome colonel will require a great deal of urging, if he thinks free silver has a show in the city. He is not built that way.

MORE NEWS NOTES.

—Jesse Massey and J. T. Chance were assassinated by unknown men at Caldwell, Tex.

—A little son of William Ferran, of Todd county, accidentally shot and killed his sister.

—Three miners and 20 mules were killed as the result of a fire in a mine at Taylorsville, Ill.

—Glenn Stuffy, one of the Howton murderers, was sentenced at Princeton to imprisonment for life.

—Arthur W. Platt, who killed a lunatic at Lexington in 1885 and escaped, has been captured in England.

—The Supreme Lodge, Knights of Honor, by a vote of 51 to 36, rejected a resolution to admit women.

—Shep Palmer, colored, was hanged at Jackson, Miss., for the murder of Charles Cordell and wife, also colored.

—A little girl in a New York reform school committed suicide because the management had her hair cut off.

—Emanuel Myers, of Bloomington, Ind., committed suicide by tying a rope around his neck and rolling out of bed.

—Mrs. Helen Powell, of Columbus, O., while drunk, shot and killed her daughter. They quarreled over getting supper.

—The Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette and the Tribune have consolidated and will be known as the Commercial-Tribune.

—The present New York legislature passed exactly 1,003 new laws, and it is said that none of them suited Tammany at all.

—The wets won at Guthrie Friday by a vote of 119 to 22.

—Several Free Masons were burned at the stake in Mexico by Indians, who were incited to the deed, it is claimed, by priests.

—At a school election in Johnson county, Lindsey Conley shot George N. Walters. Conley is in jail and Walters, it is thought, can not recover.

—John Hays Hammond and his reform committee companions have been released by the Transvaal government on the payment of a fine of \$125,000 each.

—Tom Taylor, of Fayette, Mo., got drunk and told his wife he was going to leave her. When he returned he found her cold in death. She had taken an overdose of morphine.

—Before committing suicide Stephen Bowman, aged 72, of Vigo, O., hung a rope on his door. On seeing it, his friends went to investigate and found the old man's body hanging by a rope.

—Statistics show that in 1895 the people of this country consumed 1,043,292,000 gallons of malt liquors, or three times more than in 1876. This is 15 gallons to every man, woman and child in the U. S.

—The negotiations between the State and the Mason & Ford Company are all off. Tomorrow all the convicts at the Eddyville prison will be turned over to the State, and another big law suit will follow.

—One of the large warehouses of the White Mills Distillery Company, Louisville, was destroyed by fire. It contained about 7,500 barrels of whisky, most of which was burned. The total loss is placed at \$125,000 and is well covered by insurance.

—Mrs. Mary Brewer, aged 97, is now very ill at her home near the hamlet of Sturgeon, Owsley county. She is a relative of U. S. Grant, and has 19 living children in Owsley county, all prominently known. Her husband died a year and a half ago, age 98 years.

—The acts of the last Kentucky legislature have been printed in book form, and are now being sent out to the county officials and the members of the general assembly. The volume contains less than 100 pages and there are 37 different enactments and eight resolutions.

—Two stone bridges near Havana and the stone aqueduct that supplies the city with water have been badly damaged by a dynamite explosion. It is supposed to have been the work of insurgents, who have threatened to cut off the water supply, which would be a dire calamity in view of the threatened epidemics of yellow fever, small-pox and measles.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—The entire property of the Mercer Fair Association will be sold June 20th.

—The new rules require drivers to weigh after each heat.

—Mr. T. J. Foster has watermelon vines 10 feet long and in bloom.

—Mark Hardin is buying up a lot of Jersey cattle to take to Wayne county to dispose of.

—At the Jersey cattle sale at Nashville, the highest price was \$310 for a bull and \$215 for a heifer.

—Ben Brush won the Buckeye Stakes, worth \$7,000, over Prince Lief by a nose. Prince Lief was the favorite.

—The Lexington Futurity for three-year-olds will have 75 or more entries this year and will be worth \$30,000.

—There is a two-year-old horse in Orange county, O., which is only 13 inches high. When foaled it was only a little larger than a kitten.

—J. H. Neff shipped 4,600 dozen eggs and 600 chickens Wednesday. Since the beginning of the year Mr. Neff has shipped nearly 100,000 dozen eggs.—Richmond Pantagraph.

—Up to date Bates & Wagers have bought in this county about 4,000 lambs, to be delivered June 15th. Four cents was the price paid for most of them.—Richmond Register.

—John L. Helm sold to McCandless & Brown four car loads of extra fine export cattle averaging 1,440 pounds at 3.60 for three car loads, and 34 for the other car.—Elizabethtown News.

—The building of the American Horse Exchange at New York, which occupied nearly a block, was burned with 21 valuable horses, among them Elsie G., 2-193, valued at \$7,500. Total loss \$200,000.

—Morris Jones has purchased Mr. Salisbury's interest in Alix, 2-033, and the little mare has been shipped to Red Oak, where she will be given a rest. It is not likely that she will be started this year.

—Until July 1st all Southdowns dropped in 1895 and eligible to registry may be registered at the 50 cts. fee by members and \$1 by non-members of the American Southdown Association. After that date the fee will be \$1 and \$2.

—Russell, Coleman & Co., shipped 600 lambs to Cincinnati this week. They were bought at from 3 to 4 1/2 cents and sold for from 3 1/2 to 5 1/2 cents. This firm also shipped two loads of hogs, costing from 2 1/2 to 2 7/8. They brought 3 to 3 1/2 cts.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Gentlemen posted on the cattle trade agree that in the future from 1,100 to 1,300 pound cattle will be preferred for export or home consumption to the 1,500 to 1,700 pound cattle. The smaller cattle are now bringing from 25 to 35 cents more on the hundred.

—The Richmond Fair will be held four days, beginning July 21. Besides several hundred small premiums, the association will hang up \$5,000 for paces and trots and \$1,200 for show rings. J. W. Herndon is president, J. J. Nesle secretary and G. B. Turley, Jr., treasurer.

TO A BUTTERFLY.

(Written for The Times.)

Sail on, thou white-winged butterfly
And sip the flowers of spring!
Thou once a caterpillar was—
A creeping, writhing thing.

As thou crept once, so now I creep.
Amid my earthly care,
But some sweet day I'll be as gay,
Some day I'll be as fair.

Stanford, Ky. WILL SHANKS.

Appropos of the above, a friend contributes the following:

When Billy is a butterfly,
And waits on velvet wing,
He'll fly away from "earthly care"
"And sip the flowers of Spring."
When Billy is a butterfly,
With wings a golden hue,
He will dwell 'mid fairest flowers,
As Nymphalidae do.
When Billy is a butterfly
He'll be as fair and gay
As the fairest Lycaenids
In rosy bowers away
When Billy is a butterfly,
Outgrown the chrysalis state,
Diurnal Lepidoptera
Will be his new cognate.

When Billy is a butterfly,
A caterpillar's son,
When the pigs begin to fly
As they have never done—
When Billy is a butterfly,
When the cow jumps o'er the moon,
He'll then be sweet and gay and fair,
And that is just as soon.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

UNDER the new time card on this division, all other than Corbin, Livingston and Lebanon are made flag stations for the night passenger trains, but the time is not changed.

WHILE young Johnson was holding a sanctification service at Roberts' Chapel, on Casey creek, last week, two young men attempted to take their sisters out who were agonizing with the rest in prayer. A scuffle ensued and a row and a rumpus was raised, which threatens to have its sequel in the Casey circuit court.

The formal announcement of Mr. M. F. Elkin for assessor appears in this issue. Mr. Elkin made a great race for the nomination before and the fact that he didn't sink, when so closely defeated, but gave the ticket his hearty support, made for him additional friends. He is a true blue democrat and a mighty clever man withal.

More Information Wanted.

Lawyer (hotly)—Do you mean to say, sir, that you do not consider Mr. De Lyre a man of his word?

Witness—I do.

"You do, eh? Do you mean to insinuate that he ever lies?"

"That's about it."

"Now, sir, attention! Do you mean to say that you would not believe him under oath?"

"No, I have not said that."

"Oh, ho! I thought I'd catch you. Then you don't say you would not believe him under oath?"

"No, I haven't heard him do any talking under oath yet."—N. Y. Weekly.

Where He Failed.

He had traveled through Sahara, braved the dangers of the Nile,
Defeated enraged Mussulmans, and dined on crocodile;

Knew everything of politics, religion and the law;
Could box and fence, and row a race, and please his mother-in-law.

In short, had all the accomplishments of men both great and wise;
But he couldn't run a business, for he wouldn't advertise.

—London Tit-Bits.

A Proposition.

"Look here, Bill!" said the Jaytown barber, addressing the village carpenter.

"I'm a lookin'!"

"Tell you what I'll do, I'll shingle your hair, and your two boys' and your brother John's and your Uncle Ezra's, if you'll shingle my kitchen roof?"—N. Y. World.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. F. ELKIN

Is a candidate for Assessor of Lincoln County, subject to the action of the democratic party.

JOE T. EMBRY

Is a candidate for Assessor of Lincoln County, subject to the action of the democratic party, and earnestly asks your support.

A JUNE BUG!

120 Tons Falls Branch Lump Coal.

Now is your chance. We need the money invested and will sell this amount of Coal at cost for the cash during the month of June, only. Lay in your orders quick.

NOEL & SON.

Doctors Adopt the 30 Day Plan.

WHEREAS, The merchants and other business men of Stanford have adopted the CASH SYSTEM, we, the physicians of this community ask and demand that our bills, in the future, shall be paid every thirty days in cash, its equivalent or a note, negotiable and payable in bank, with legal interest, and due when services are rendered. Persons now owing us for past professional services must come forward and settle at an early date. There is a business as well as professional side to the practice of medicine and surgery which we are determined to observe in the future.

J. G. CARPENTER, J. F. PRYTON,
STEELE BAILEY, G. W. BRONAUH,
W. B. O'BANNON, L. B. COOK.
May 18, 1896.

WANTED—AN IDEA

Who can think thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may grow to wealth. Write JOHN W. WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1,000 prize offer.

The Louisville Store.

Another Cut-Price Sale for this week. People understand that when we advertise bargains it is a plain, self-evident and desirable snap, that it is

Like Getting Gold Dollars for 50c.

Our Low Prices and Good Values are always permanent features, but for this week we will make the influence both on the general purchasing public even greater than ever before.

We only mention a few of the thousands of bargains we are offering:

Ladies' Seamless Black Hose only 7 1/2c, worth 15c.
Children's and Misses' Fast Black Hose, all sizes, only 5c a pair.

Ladies' Sleeveless Vests only 5c, worth 10c.
Ladies' White Kid Belts only 25c, worth 50c; also Nickel Belt Buckles 10c.

Ladies' Hand-Turned Oxfords, Patent Tips, only 7 1/2c.
Ladies' Black Lisle Gloves only 15c.

Ladies' Fine Shoes now go at 97c, worth \$1.50.
Infants' and Children's Oxfords from 25c up.

Men's Good Flow Shoes, 98c.
Men's Fine Shoes, Lace or Congress, only \$1.00.

Zephyr Gingham only 5c.
Calicoes, 3 1/2c this week only.

Children's Sailor Hats, 10c, worth 25c.
A Good Suit of Men's Clothes, \$2.50.

Boys' Knee Pants, 25c to \$1.00.
Men's Extra Heavy Cottonade Pants only 50c, worth 75c.

A Big Line of Men's Crusher Hats only 35c, worth 75c.
Ladies' Parasols only 50c.

A nice line of Carpets and Matting cheap and thousands of other bargains too numerous to mention. Be sure to do your trading with the cheapest store in the State.

LOUISVILLE STORE.

A. URBANSKY & CO., Proprietors,
T. D. RANEY, Manager.

Branch Stores:

Paris, Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Bardstown, Lawrenceburg,
Cynthiana, Versailles, Eminence, Georgetown,
Elizabethtown, Frankfort, Ky.,
and Mauckport, Ind.

STOVES!!

—AT—

AT YOUR PRICE.

Cooking, Heating, Gasoline, } Stoves, And Ranges for 30 days going at less than actual cost.

W. H. WEAREN & CO.

For the Ladies we the The Latest Things in

SLIPPERS and SHOES

While for Men and Boys we have

Tan and Black in the Very Latest Styles.

We have the Narrowest Toe Made on Century Lasts.

H. J. McROBERTS.

Next door to Penny's Drug Store, Stanford, Ky.

A GIFT!

We do not propose directly to make you a present, but if you need anything in our line, you can save enough money by dealing with us to make yourself a nice present. Come and see the many things we are offering

AT COST.

W. P. TATE, Stanford.

UNDERTAKING

—BY—

J. C. McCLARY,

Practical Trimmer, Embalmer

And Funeral Director.

Also carry a nice line of Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Buggy Robes, Horse Blankets, Whips, &c.
Room opposite Court-House Square, Stanford, Ky.

You should take your prescriptions to Penny's drug store where prompt and accurate service is guaranteed.

PERSONAL POINTS.

MISS LUCILLE MENEFEE is back from Georgetown College.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. HENDREN are visiting in Marion county.

MISS ANNIE EVANS BRIGHT is home from Millersburg College.

MR. J. B. HIGGINS and Miss Julia are rusticated at Tatham Springs.

MISS VIRGE BROADBUSH, of Rich Hill, Mo., is visiting Miss Sue Rout.

MR. R. E. McROBERTS, of Lancaster, was with his brothers here Saturday.

THE Mammoth Cave party got back safe and sound and report a splendid trip.

PRETTY LITTLE LILLIE MOORE, of Casey, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Wilkinson.

MISS ELLYN BALLOU, who has been teaching music in Somerset, has returned home.

MRS. C. W. KREMER, of Louisville, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harris.

MR. AND MRS. H. M. BALLOU, of Lancaster, spent Sunday with Col. and Mrs. B. W. Gaines.

MRS. ANNE D. VAN ARSDALE, of Harrodsburg, is with her daughter, Mrs. H. J. McRoberts.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. STEPHENSON, of Crab Orchard, spent several days at Dr. J. B. Owensley's.

CAPT. T. D. ENGLISH and wife, of Boyle, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McRoberts.

MR. G. M. PATTERSON and wife, of Lancaster, were the guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Kirby.

STANFORD'S Poet Laureate, W. H. Shanks, had a pretty little poem in Friday's Louisville Times.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. BRYANT, of Lancaster, were guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Grinstead.

MR. M. F. NORTH attended the sale of the effects of the Pineville Banking Co. and bought some of its notes.

Mrs. MARY MYERS, of Nashville, is up to spend a portion of her vacation with her brother, Mr. S. S. Myers.

DR. N. H. McKINNEY is back from Chicago where he has been attending the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

MEMBERS J. B. COOK, of Lawrenceburg, H. B. HOCKER and Tilden Cook, of Danville, spent Sunday with relatives here.

J. B. GENTRY went over to Oakley Saturday to see his mare, Oral, start, but for some reason the race was declared off.

MRS. PERMELIA BROWN and Mrs. Will C. Hays will decorate Walton's Opera House for the contest in elocution next Friday night.

MISS SUSAN, BESSIE AND ANNIE BELLE WOODS are back from Millersburg College. They spent a week with friends before returning.

MISS FLORENCE JENKINS and Ella Dunn, of Boyle, and Fannie Deering, of Flemingsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baughman.

MISS ANNIE BRONAUGH ENGLEMAN, just returned from Potter College, Bowling Green, was here yesterday, looking handsomer than ever.

PROF. F. J. DUFFY left yesterday for Hopkinsville, where he will spend the summer. The patrons of the Academy hope he will accept its charge another year.

CHIEF OF POLICE J. D. FEENEY, of Richmond, spent several days with his brothers-in-law, J. S. and William Rice. He came down to hear the sermon on "Pythianism."

HIS friends were glad to see Mrs. J. H. Kirby on the street yesterday after her long confinement. She is far from being well though and may have to suffer another operation.

COL. BILL OWLSBY, the hero of Gilberts Creek, has been assigned to duty at McBrayer, Anderson county. He may be located in Richmond in July. So note it be.—Richmond Register.

MISS KATHERINE EMMA DARNABY, of Lexington, one of the contestants at Walton's Opera next Friday night, will be the guest of Miss Ethyl Beazley this week, as will also Miss Lucille Arnold, of Lancaster.

MRS. R. J. LYLES has kindly accepted an invitation from the managers of the elocutionary contest to sing a solo Friday night and that will furnish another treat for those who attend, as she is charmingly gifted in song.

MR. O. W. MOORE, general manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. for Kentucky and three States adjoining, was here Friday with Mr. J. W. Perrin. It is likely that the latter gentleman will be moved to Lexington.

THE Elizabethtown News says that Prof. W. G. Lackey has been admitted to the bar there and will in a few weeks go to the University of Virginia to take a summer law course, after which he will go to St. Louis to practice.

SPEAKING of a recent victory secured in a case before the court of appeals by Messrs. H. E. Evans and Thomas Miller Owensley, the Bowling Green Courier says: This is a feather in the caps of the young attorneys that is decidedly creditable to them, young as they are in legal combat, and is ominous of what will come to them in the future, if they persevere as they now are doing.

Mrs. J. M. HENDRICKS is quite ill.

Mrs. L. M. WESTERFIELD has gone to Campbellsville.

Mrs. H. C. RUPLEY is spending the week in Marion.

MISS MOLLIE WARR returned to Mitchellburg yesterday.

GEN. P. WAT HADDIN and family are at Crab Orchard Springs.

MISS ALMA GANN, of Somerset, is with her cousins, the Misses Beck.

MISS RACHEL ALBISON left yesterday for Cincinnati and other points.

MR. C. L. WHEELER, of Wheeler's Emporium, Hustonville, was here yesterday.

THE youngest member of the I. J. staff, Miss Margie Moore, of McKinney, was here yesterday.

ABOUT 25 K. Ps. will go to Danville this afternoon to help the lodge there celebrate "Memorial Day."

CAPT. W. H. KIRBY left yesterday to take his new run from Lexington to Maysville. Good luck to him.

MR. JOHN E. PATRICK, who married Miss Rose Richards, has withdrawn from the Congressional race in the 10th.

MR. W. B. MOSS and his brother-in-law, R. T. Colson, of Oregon, who is visiting him, went up to Middleboro yesterday.

MISS LILLIE VANDYVER, of Georgetown, and Elma Pope and Lucy Allen, of Millersburg, will arrive this week to visit the Misses Woods.

MRS. M. W. COULTER, of Maysville, will be in Stanford next Tuesday, 23d, to teach a class in embroidery. See her at the hotel. She and Mrs. W. Russell Warden and Miss Bessie Worthington were here yesterday.

CITY AND VICINITY.

BELT buckles at cost. Danks.

FRUIT Jars at Warren & Shanks.

STERLING ball cuff links at Danks.

WATCH guards. All colors. Danks.

CARRIAGE paint. Craig & Hocker.

JELLY Glasses at Warren & Shanks.

SURGICAL supplies. Craig & Hocker.

WAISTsets, opera chains, etc. Danks.

POCKET knives at cost at Craig & Hocker's.

FRUIT Jars and Jelly Glasses at Warren & Shanks.

FLY Traps and Tangle Foot Fly Paper at Warren & Shanks.

PRESCRIPTION work done at lowest cash prices. Craig & Hocker.

THE time of the departure of the afternoon train to Richmond on the K. C. has been changed to 4:05. Returning, it gets here at 9:20.

THE Liberty Tribune says "the INTERIOR JOURNAL is the best paper in all this section of the State" and Bro. Phelps ought to be a judge.

TRY J. H. Baughman & Co.'s cooking coals. They are best and cheapest. Bituminous nut 10c, Cannel nut 14c, delivered at your house.

PEACHES.—Mr. G. B. Cooper and family are luxuriating on peaches from their own orchard. This is unusually early for that fruit, but Mr. Cooper claims to be an extraordinarily fine fruit raiser.

THE DOCTORS.—Dr. R. C. McChord, of Lebanon, was chosen president of the State Medical Society, and Owensboro was named as the place for the 1897 meeting. Dr. Steele Bailey remains secretary.

FIVE FAILED.—Prof. L. C. Bosley tells us that of the 26 white people examined for school certificates, four got first-class, 11 second, six third and five failed entirely. Only five Negroes presented themselves for examination Friday.

THE second meet of the Middleboro Cycle Club will occur at Brooks' Park July 4, when there will be six races from 1 to 3 miles each and with prizes of cups and medals of \$10 to \$24. Our thanks are due Mr. George W. Albrecht for invitation.

THE board of trustees of the new State Reform Schools authorized Secretary W. P. Walton to state through the press that the cities or towns which wish to secure the locations of the institutions can send propositions for sites or other donations to him at Stanford. Papers will confer a favor on us by publishing the above and help a good cause.

LIVELY OLD PEOPLE.—Mr. W. S. Warren, aged 72, and his wife nine years his junior, have gathered during the past week 50-odd gallons of cherries from four trees. The old gentleman tells us that his wife did most of the work and would not let him climb the trees for fear he would fall and get hurt.

ABOUT 100 reserved seats have already been sold for the elocutionary entertainment next Friday night, 19th, at Walton's Opera House, the largest number of advance sales since the erection of that building, some 15 or 16 years ago, and a tremendously large audience will greet the nine young lady contestants when the curtain rises at 8 o'clock, promptly.

JOE T. EMBRY is announced in this issue as a candidate for assessor. There are few harder working democrats than Mr. Embry and he is deserving of recognition from his party. His experience in the Farmers' Bank & Trust Co. has made him precise and painstaking and should be elected he will fill the office with credit, alike to himself and his party.

A BIG line of shoes at Farris & Hardin's.

BITUMINOUS and cannel nut coal, bottom price. Try it. Noel & Son.

BORAX.—"From the Desert," a book of 200 Borax receipts free at Craig & Hocker's.

FRUIT jars and jelly glasses at cheap at Farris & Hardin's. They were bought before the rise.

AN Italian band from Lexington will furnish the music for the hop at Walton's Opera House, Thursday night.

UNTIL July 1st, 1896, you can buy anything in our complete stock at actual wholesale cost. W. H. Wearren & Co.

THE managers will entertain the nine young lady contestants in elocution, their ushers and the judges at tea at the St. Asaph Hotel Friday evening at 5:30.

It has been a little cool for summer time, but a delightful spell for living. Yesterday's predictions were: Conditions favorable for showers and thunder storms to-night. Tuesday showers, warmer.

CAN'T COME.—Gov. Jas. B. McCreary writes with reference to the request that he be one of the judges at the elocutionary contest here Friday night: "My respect for and gratitude to your people prompts me to state this early that my engagements will not permit me to be in Stanford on the 19th of June."

MILLER.—At an informal meeting of the Stanford Bar held yesterday morning, Col. T. P. Hill was called to the chair, and on motion of J. W. Alcorn, seconded by H. T. Harris, it was resolved to hold a formal meeting Saturday next, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take suitable action on the death of Hon. W. H. Miller. On motion of Col. W. G. Welch, the chair appointed J. W. Alcorn, Judge M. C. Sandley and Col. Welch a committee on resolutions.

BEAT THE TOLL-GATES.—The law provides that persons going to and from mill with their sacks on horseback shall pass toll-gates free. A West End man solved for a while the question of free pikes so far as he is concerned by always being astride a sack when he passed the gates. The keepers thought he was using a vast amount of meal at his house, but raised the pole and said nothing. They resolved, however, to investigate the first chance that presented itself, when it was discovered that the sack contained nothing but bran, which had been used to deceive as long as it had almost become hard tack. The fellow doesn't travel now as much as he used to.

A good story, which illustrates the ignorance of the average republican delegate, comes from the Nicholasville convention. Our townsman, A. A. McKinney was put in nomination for secretary and the delegates mistaking the name for McKinley and thinking it was the presidential aspirant himself, and desiring to get in his band wagon, almost fell over each other in their effort to be the first to vote for him. He was elected of course and then the backwoods delegates began to crane their necks to see "the next president," while others rushed forward to shake his hand. Afterwards when they found out their mistake and that Mr. McKinney was nothing but an every day bank cashier they felt like kicking themselves.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—Sunday afternoon, Estill Carter was fooling with a pistol, when it went off, the ball passing through the weatherboarding and lodging in the left thigh of his brother, J. Nevin Carter, who happened to pass just then. It barely missed the artery and severing a vein buried itself in the flesh and has not yet been exactly located. The blood gushed in a sluice from the wound and he must have lost a gallon or more. Estill was very much alarmed and rushed to town for Dr. Peyton, making the six miles, it is said, in 15 minutes. Dr. Peyton pronounced the wound quite a dangerous one, but says the patient is doing very nicely. Mr. Carter is in the revenue service and is a very fine young man. His friends hope he will soon be out.

A K. P. SERMON.—"Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ," was Rev. A. V. Sizemore's text Sunday afternoon, when he preached at the Presbyterian church on Pythianism. The sermon was a masterly effort and was listened to by 101 Knights of Pythias from Stanford, Lancaster, Danville and Richmond lodges. The church was filled with friends of the great Order and after the services many of them congratulated Mr. Sizemore on his splendid discourse. The Knights marched from Castle Hall to the church in a body and were given seats close to the pulpit by the ushers, Rowan Sandley, Harris Wearren, Ben Wearren and Charley Green. The music was a decided feature. Some of the best singers in town were in the choir, Mrs. R. B. Mahony was at the organ and Mr. Joe F. Waters assisted on his cornet. After the sermon the Knights marched back to the Hall, where appropriate speeches were made and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Sizemore. The K. Ps. feel grateful to Mrs. Permelia Brown for her kindness in decorating the church for the occasion with her beautiful flowers and to Mrs. Mahony, Mrs. Dr. Cook, Mrs. J. W. Hayden, Mrs. Joe S. Rice, Mrs. W. H. Wearren, Misses Clara Mershon and Myrtle Hghees and many others for assisting in the excellent music.

KINLEY, the carriage painter, is an expert in his line. Get his prices.

To reduce stock, I will offer special prices on boxing, fencing, studding and joists. A. C. Sine.

NOTICE.—Parties owing tuition bills to Stanford Female College for the past year will please call at the college as soon as convenient and settle them with Mrs. Nannie S. Sandley. Wm. Shelton.

RAISED.—Postmaster J. W. Rout received a notification from the postoffice department yesterday that his salary had been raised to correspond with his office receipts, to \$1,400, an increase of \$100 a year.

TWO more prisoners have been added to Jailer DeBord's fast increasing army. Craig Gregg, charged with robbery, and Joe Gregg, with seduction, were delivered to him Sunday for safe keeping by Sheriff F. P. Elliott, of Laurel.

ELOPED.—News comes from the West End that John A. Blain, who had eschewed matrimony till he has almost seen half a century go by, eloped to Cincinnati a few days ago with a Miss Wright and married her. Good for John! He ought not to have waited so long.

EGGSTRADINARY.—Rev. W. S. Grinstead tells us that some time ago Mrs. John Z. Spoonamore gave him a hen and 20 chickens. He kept the hen till she had weaned the chickens and then let her loose. She began to lay at once and Friday morning as he solemnly avers laid three large eggs before noon. If Bro. Grinstead was any other kind of a preacher but a Methodist we would say that he was prevaricating or joking, but as he doesn't do either, we give the story and let the people judge.

STILL THINKS HE OUGHT TO HAVE KILLED HIM.—Anthony Alcorn, who was given a death sentence last week for calling his father out and shooting him to death is holding up remarkably well and greets the numerous visitors he has with a smile. He talks freely about the killing and insists that he was justified in shooting the old man. His father and mother were never married and in fact never lived together. When Anthony was six years old his mother sent him to his father to keep, but the father didn't want him and the boy was sent to a relative's house, where he remained till he was eight. The father then hired him out and continued to do so until less than a year ago, when Anthony grew tired of his father drawing all his wages and told him so. A quarrel followed, when the elder Alcorn whipped the boy unmercifully. He was then driven off the place and remained till a month and a half ago, when he went to work for James Cash. The father drew half of his wages and when Anthony kicked about it, he threatened to kill him. "That was more than I could stand," said the boy, "and I killed him." When asked if he had loaded his gun to kill his father, he replied that he had not, but had dropped a 32 bullet in his gun on his way to make sure of his work. The boy spends the greater portion of his time praying and singing. He sleeps well and is one of the heartiest prisoners Jailer DeBord has.

The white people in the neighborhood of the killing, who know of how badly the old man used to treat the boy, who they say is not bright, feel a sympathy for him and have already started a petition for the commutation of his sentence to life imprisonment.

CIRCUIT COURT.—This has been a bad court on evil doers. Already eight men have been sent to the penitentiary from one year to a life time, while another labors under a verdict of death, and still there's more to follow.

James Shropshire, a Negro, was proved guilty of the charge of breaking into the house of George Helm and John Lee and stealing therefrom a ham, shoulder and midding, and the jury gave him two years. On hearing the verdict his wife fell over in a swoon and created some excitement.

Circuit Clerk J. P. Bailey reported the collection of \$29.45 tax on petitions, &c. J. F. Cummins, county clerk, a balance of \$19.30 tax on license, &c., and A. G. Faulkner, justice of the peace, \$25. He was the only justice to return anything.

Will Brown, who had already at this term of court been given five years each for two other burglaries, was tried Friday afternoon for breaking into the house of J. H. Kirby and convicted. This according to Judge Sandley's construction of the law, some lawyers here agreeing and others disagreeing with him, carries a sentence for life. Judge Sandley says there is no doubt about the letter of the law. The court of appeals will have to pass on the intent. Whether it says so or not the evident intention of the law is to prevent the criminal from further commission of crime, after he had served other sentences, and failing, to shut him up for life, when he continued to manifest a spirit averse to reformation and became too great an enemy of society to remain at large.

Miller Broadbush was tried for breaking into S. H. Shanks' store yesterday and acquitted. Dick Evans, who swore before the grand jury that Broadbush was guilty, went back on his oath yesterday when brought before the court. The old man, who already has five years, is to be tried to-day for the Kirby burglary.

The trial of Wm. Chesterfield for forgery is set for to-day.

FOR CASH!

There will be a GREAT SLAUGHTER in prices For the Next Thirty Days, In our CLOTHING AND SHOE DEPARTMENTS. Nice line of Men's Fine Shoes in Tans and Blacks. Call at once and get pick of the stock.

W. E. PERKINS, Crab Orchard.

One Year Ago THE MISTERY HAD NOT BEEN SOLVED; Today WITHERS PRESENTS TO THE BUYING PUBLIC A COLD FACT, THINK OF IT! EXPENSES CUT \$1,000!

What's more—my customers realize that fact, saving money in every instance. My bargains always surpass the anticipations of those who come doubting, and they go away convinced that Withers' bargains are just as offered.

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Undertaker, and dealer in Furniture, Carpets, Wall Paper, and Manufacturer of Picture Frames, Stanford, Ky.

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Since adopting the CASH SYSTEM I am enabled to REDUCE PRICES on Rough and Dressed Lumber, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Metal Roofing, Lath, Shingles, Red Fence Flooring, Siding, Ceiling, Etc. I carry a full stock of every thing found in a first-class Lumber Yard, and by selling for CASH ONLY I am enabled to make prices lower than have ever been offered here.

A. C. SINE, Stanford, Ky.

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